

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS
NORTHERN DIVISION

JEFFERY WEBB and
CHRISTALYNN NEAL

PLAINTIFFS

v.

No. 3:19-cv-357-DPM

JOE SLOCUM, III, Chief Firefighter &
Deputy Sheriff Officer; DOYLE FOWLER,
Mayor/Realtor; NICK WATSON, Officer;
JAMES DURHAM, Deputy Sheriff;
CITY OF MCCORY, ARKANSAS;
and WOODRUFF COUNTY ARKANSAS

DEFENDANTS

ORDER

Plaintiffs' motion to appoint counsel, *Doc. 63*, is denied without prejudice. Although the case has been pending for some time, the substance of the parties' dispute is undeveloped. *Plummer v. Grimes*, 87 F.3d 1032, 1033 (8th Cir. 1996). There are no pending motions and discovery will continue until March 2022. *Doc. 61*. The applicable law is not particularly complex. And the facts alleged are not beyond what a *pro se* litigant can handle. Appointing counsel in a civil case is an extraordinary step, which is unnecessary at this point.

So Ordered.



D.P. Marshall Jr.
United States District Judge

16 September 2021